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Title: ELEVATOR WITH ROLLERS HAVING SELECTIVELY VARIABLE HARDNESS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action that was mailed on November 28, 2008. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are presented in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this document.